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For: SYSTEM AND PROCESS FOR THE ANALYSIS AND PREDICTIVE SIMULATION  
OF THE TEMPORAL EVOLUTION OF A HAIR REGION, AND MORE  
PARTICULARLY OF THE HUMAN SCALP

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**REQUEST**

The Examiner is requested to confirm that only claims 1, 2, 6 and 10-17 of the above are rejected over the art cited in the Office Action of May 11, 2005, as suggested on page 1 of the Office Action. Page 3 of the Office Action states that claims 1-17 are rejected over the cited art which appears contrary to the indication on page 7 of the Office Action that claims 3-5 and 7-9 contain allowable subject matter.

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